




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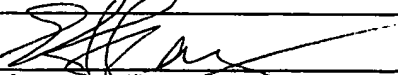
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	AA	5,649,306	Jul. 15, 1997	Vannatta et al.			
	AB	5,991,643	Nov. 23, 1999	Chao-Cheng			
	AC	5,940,040	Aug. 17, 1999	Koyanagi et al.			
	AD	US 2002/ 0094789 A1	Jul. 18, 2002	Harano			
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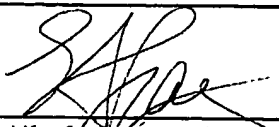
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*Attorney for applicants is advised that U.S. Patent No. 5,649,306 is the English counterpart in the family of CN 1123476 A.

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26	AE	Office Action issued from SIPO dated December 10, 2004, with regard to the corresponding Chinese Patent Application No. 200410004869.X.	With English Translation	

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